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AMENDMENTS AFTER ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 CFR 1.312

Dear Sir:

Applicants enclose (2) two Combined Declarations and Powers of Attorney for the above-referenced patent application and respectfully request the following amendments be entered into the specification of said patent application.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

On page 1, after the title and before the "BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION", please insert the sentence --This application claims benefit of prior provisional application US Serial Number 60/009,283 filed on December 27, 1995.--

On page 7, after the heading "BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS" and before the paragraph beginning on line 20, please insert, as a separate paragraph, the sentence --The file of this patent contains at least one